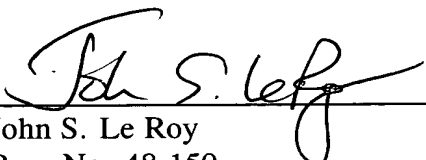


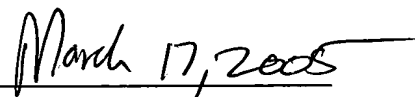
Remarks

The Applicants thank the Examiner for his thorough Examination of the present application. The Applicants have amended elected claims 1-16 and 19-23 to more specifically recite technology with which the present invention operates to produce a concrete, useful and tangible result. Accordingly, the amended claims meet the statutory requirements of 35 U.S.C. §101, placing the present application in condition for allowance.

The one-month petition fee for an extension of time in the amount of \$110.00 should be applied to Deposit Account 06-1510 (Ford Global Technologies, Inc.). A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed for that purpose.

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